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Dear Neil:

I have delayed answering your good letter of February 3 because I had a problem with regard to the weekend in May which you had suggested as a time for a visit to you both in Cincinnati. Unfortunately I had already tentatively committed myself to attend a meeting at MIT to review the results of the last ten years of their work for the Center for International Studies in which I have always taken a very deep interest. After further correspondence with them, I fear that I must be in Massachusetts over that weekend, much to Clover's regret and mine.

We both sincerely hope that this will not prevent us from finding a time one of these days when we can get together.

Faithfully yours,

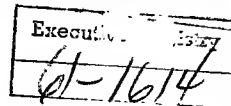
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Mr. and Mrs. Allen W. Dulles

Dear Clover and Allen:

Camilla will be writing to you as soon as she gets over the wedding deluge, but until she does perhaps this will suffice to say:

First, that we received your wire, and while we are disappointed that you won't be able to get to Bitsey's wedding, we well understand that this is a very busy time in Washington for Allen.

Second, however, we are still hopeful that the May 19-20-21 weekend will seem to both of you to be a time when you might enjoy the late Cincinnati spring, with its fine tennis weather and at least the possibility of some good swimming. We want you very much - if it fits your book.

Sincerely,